

SHARKS that thrive in water are not the only variety to be found at bathing resorts.

HOME EDITION

## 'CARRY REPORT TO ALMIGHTY' COST 6 LIVES

Barricaded, Negro Fanatic Fights Chicago Police.

Himself and Wife Are Numbered Among Victims.

HUNDREDS SHOTS EXCHANGED

Kills White Woman Carrying Baby in Arms.

Police Dynamite and Fire Fail to Dislodge Him.

BRAVE OFFICER ENDS BATTLE

Deliberately Walks Into House and Shoots Negro.

Leaves Note Telling of Strange Religious Mania.

Chicago, July 18.—H. J. McIntyre, a colored religious fanatic, becoming violently insane today, killed four persons and wounded three others with a rifle before the police, whom he held at bay for an hour, killed him and his wife.

In all, McIntyre's hallucination that he must "carry my report to the Almighty" cost six lives.

Hundreds of shots were exchanged between the crazed man, barricaded in his flat in a two story brick structure at 320 North Irving avenue, and the police. The latter made an ineffectual attempt to burn the place and exploded three charges of dynamite under it as they were unable to make headway against the rapid and accurate fire of the negro.

The dead: STUART DEAN, 60 years old, policeman, shot in neck; MRS. JOSEPHINE OVERMYER, 28 years old, neighbor, shot in breast; EDWARD KNOX, 34 years old, colored, neighbor, shot in head; ALFRED MATTHEWS, 30 years old, neighbor, negro, found dead of bullet wound on porch of his home.

H. J. McIntyre, colored, the crazed man, 30 years old, shot by police, died in hospital.

MRS. HATTIE MCINTYRE, colored, wife of above, 30 years old, head blown off.

The injured: Edward Clement, detective sergeant, 46 years old, three bullet wounds; Grover Crabtree, policeman, 27 years old, wounds in wrist and elbow; not serious.

Mrs. Sadie Knox, 40 years old, wife of Edward Knox, bullet wound in back; not serious.

Note Explains Fanaticism. The explosion blew the rear porch and part of the kitchen into the alley, and when the police were able to enter the building it was a wreck. They found an explanation of McIntyre's deed in a note which he left scrawled in lead pencil on a soiled piece of brown wrapping paper.

"The Almighty God has made me a prophet unto the world, and now I shall recommend all that are worthy unto my heavenly father, the great God of all creation. The Lord has given me a spirit to judge the quick and the dead.

"I must die in this land that I may carry my reports unto Almighty God and be in the land of the United States."

In the opinion of Police Captain Wesley Westbrook, McIntyre wrote the letter just before becoming violent, although he had opportunity to do so during lulls in the fighting.

Shoots Policeman Dead. Frank Freemuth, a policeman, told this story of the fight:

## KANSAS NATURAL PLANIS TORAISE OVER 4 MILLIONS

Stockholders Also Decide to Dissolve Receivership.

Conference in Office of Governor Capper Today.

SPEND 2 MILLIONS FOR GAS

Use of Two Years' Earnings for Betterments of Property.

Decision Means Sale of Large Amount of Stock.

Stockholders of the Kansas Natural Gas company talked "turkey" today at a conference in the office of Governor Capper when they outlined a plan for the immediate raising of \$4,500,000. The plan provides for immediate dissolution of the receivership, the spending of \$2,000,000 for the payment of outstanding bonds and use of two years' earnings for betterments.

Nearly a dozen of the heavy stockholders of the giant gas company attended the conference. Attorneys for the receivers, as well as Governor Capper and S. M. Brewster, attorney general, were present. This afternoon the conference was continued in the offices of the public utilities commission. It is believed the conference will result in an application before the commission for permission to enforce the reorganization plan.

The reorganization plan will be promoted through the issuance of new stock, state officials were advised.

Representatives of the gas company from Pennsylvania, Texas and other states attended the conference. They represented a majority of the stock. The conference was behind closed doors.

2,000,000 for Gas. Immediate expenditure of \$2,000,000 for gas was proposed by the stockholders. They proposed the use of \$1,250,000 of the funds from stock sales for new gas. This sum, with \$750,000 which the company has been directed to spend, would meet the \$2,000,000 requirement.

Representatives of the company also proposed the extension of the company's property and the securing of more gas for Kansas and Missouri consumers.

Gas supply and pressure sufficient to tax the capacity of the company's present pipe lines was proposed by the stockholders for next winter. Additional pipe lines have been arranged for. It was asserted that \$300,000 worth of new pipe lines are now being laid, and that \$200,000 worth of new gas fields tapped as soon as a new funds are available.

Ready to Take the Stock. In the hands of the new issue, it was asserted that the new stock would be taken up by the present stockholders of the company. One report today was to the effect that R. A. Long, one of the heavy stockholders at this time, would probably take \$400,000 or \$500,000 worth of the new issue.

Plans as outlined today mean the sale of \$4,500,000 worth of stock and the use of the additional \$750,000 by the receiver as well as expenditure of two years' earnings. From the \$4,500,000 stock issue, the company proposes to take up the outstanding bond issue of \$2,000,000.

Under this program the receivership would be dissolved and the company reorganized as a going concern free from court supervision.

MASTER OF OCEAN U. S. Government Gives Up Hunt for Deadly Sharks.

Living Submarines Are Too Numerous on Coast.

New York, July 18.—Sharks are the undisputed masters of the Atlantic coast. The federal government today abandoned its proposed campaign of extermination by the coast guard along the New Jersey beaches.

The enemy were simply too numerous. The government's marine experts acknowledge that the coast is in a state of blockade by living submarines.

## OTHER CONDITION FAR MORE GRAVE SAYS CRUMBINE

Secretary State Board Health Alarmed Over Epidemics.

Typhoid, Tuberculosis Worry Him More Than Paralysis.

ARE FORTY-THREE NEW CASES

Nineteen Additional Reports of Consumption in State.

Measles and Whooping Cough Come in for Attention.

While Kansas is worrying herself sick because of an epidemic of infantile paralysis that threatens the state, numerous other epidemics are being overlooked. That was the report from the state board of health today when reports of several hundred cases of typhoid fever, scarlet fever, tuberculosis, measles and whooping cough were sent to Dr. S. J. Crumbine, secretary of the state board.

Reports now being received by the state board and covering cases other than infantile paralysis furnish a situation far more serious, in a local way, than the baby disease. It is probable that the reports which are filing their way to the state board will result in several special bulletins covering typhoid prevention and a fight against other diseases.

Reports for one day showed but a single new case of infantile paralysis in Kansas. On that same day, however, the state board of health received reports of forty-three new cases of typhoid fever. The reports also told of nineteen new cases of tuberculosis, 11 cases of measles, fifty-six cases of whooping cough and twenty cases of scarlet fever.

State Overlooks It. "It is all right for people to show concern regarding the spread of infantile paralysis," said Dr. Crumbine, but the state is overlooking a condition that is far more serious. The increase in the number of cases of typhoid and tuberculosis should immediately attract attention to health conditions in every portion of the state.

A large majority of the new cases of typhoid fever were reported from the counties of Sedgewick, Sumner, Cowley, Wilson and Montgomery counties. Six new cases of typhoid were reported in the county of Sedgewick. In Montgomery county, three in Wilson county, two in Cowley county and three in Montgomery county.

A report of two cases came from Chase county. Shawnee county reported one case.

Just one new case of infantile paralysis has been found in Kansas since Saturday. This report came from Salina. Specialists under direction of the state board have been placed in charge of all cases in the state.

SEE R. R. CRISIS Appeal to President to Delay Anti-Trust Act.

Menaced by Threatened Strike and Government Curb.

Washington, July 18.—Personal appeal to President Wilson for assistance in what they term a "business crisis" will be made by representatives of the big railroads. Confronted on the one hand by provisions of the Clayton anti-trust act, which they claim are hazy and complicated, and on the other by the threat of 300,000 railway workers to strike unless granted shorter hours and more pay, railroad officials declare their situation is serious.

The president will be asked in the first place to suggest a delay in the effective date of the Clayton act's provision, which governs the purchase of supplies by the roads, until the railroad officials and the interstate commerce commission "have had opportunity to study it." This is to go into effect in a few weeks unless congress by resolution delays it.

Employees Take Strike Vote. The four great trainmen brotherhoods are voting on whether or not to strike. Some administration officials say a strike which would tie up the nation's railroads would be a calamity. It is likely the railroad officials, when they see the president tomorrow, will take up this question.

Desire either that their men submit their claims to arbitration or an investigation of railroad wages by the interstate commerce commission or by a congressional committee.

PARRY ON KANSAS COAL Conference Makes Headway, But Can't Agree on Ozone County Mines.

## COME ON OUT!



## MISS WILSON OUT KILLS OFFSPRING

Head of Beloit Industrial School for Girls Resigns. She Has Been a Storm Center for a Long Time.

CHARGES MADE AGAINST HER Resulted in an Investigation of Her Administration.

She Will Retire From the School September 1.

Resignation of Miss Frankie Wilson, superintendent of the State Industrial School for Girls, Beloit, was today announced by Governor Capper.

The resignation was forwarded to the state board of corrections, which is in session at the school. Miss Wilson was to leave Beloit September 1. She may teach school.

The resignation of Miss Wilson follows more than three years of storm at Beloit. Apparently, unable to preserve harmony, she was constantly on one end of numerous rows that started in the Mitchell county town. Her administration was frequently criticized and as a result of these complaints charges were sent to the governor and to the state board of corrections, which has supervision over the institution.

Following a recent storm at Beloit, Governor Capper appointed a committee to investigate conditions. This committee was composed of women. An official report has never been filed, although Governor Capper was recently charged with the heads of girls who violated rules. Lack of diplomacy in meeting local conditions, was the charge.

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## CRY PACIFIC DANGER

West Coast Senators Defeated in Demand for Exclusive Battleships.

## KANSAS MOTHER SHOTS LITTLE BOY AND GIRL

"Didn't Want Them to Face the Future," She Says.

Milam, Kan., July 18.—Mrs. Effie Beverly shot and killed her two children while they slept last night at her father's home near here. She was arrested and immediately taken to the county jail.

Authorities declared early today that a note written by her had been found declaring she intended to kill her children and then herself.

"I did not want them to face the future," they quoted her as saying.

Mrs. Beverly, 24 years old and has been separated from her husband for several years. The children were a girl 6 years old and a boy a year younger.

## 9 NIGHTS ABOVE 70

Thermometer Hasn't Dropped to Comfortable Stage Here.

Same Old Sol Promised by the Relentless Forecaster.

Following are the hourly temperature readings for today:

7 o'clock.....74 11 o'clock.....89  
8 o'clock.....75 12 o'clock.....91  
9 o'clock.....82 1 o'clock.....94  
10 o'clock.....85 2 o'clock.....93  
\*The reading at 1:20 o'clock was 95.

## RACE TO LEAD PROHIBITION TICKET NARROWS DOWN.

Henry Ford "Conspicuously Absent"; Will Not Run.

THEY TURN GOLD SHOULDER Expected Grand Conclave of Parties Is Rank Failure.

Even Bull Moose Parker Declines to Grace Ticket.

BY H. L. RENNICK. St. Paul, Minn., July 18.—Prohibitionists who came to St. Paul one day in advance of the opening of their national convention hoped against hope today that their merger with dry elements of other parties could be accomplished.

Up to the opening of the "get together conference" today, at which scores of prominent Bull Moose, dry Democrats and dry Republicans had been expected, there were only a handful of other party representatives here.

National Chairman Hinshaw and other Prohibition leaders sought to round up all the Bull Moose, eight and found one, Col. J. M. Ingersoll of Idaho, Progressive national committeeman from his state, who is strongly in favor of merging the Bull Moose with the Prohibitionists.

Parker Sidesteps Too. Col. John M. Parker of Louisiana, Progressive national committee chairman, was reported today to have turned the same kind of a cold shoulder toward the drys as did Henry Ford.

Today indicated that Parker had refused under any circumstances to be a prohibition candidate for vice president.

Disappointment at failure of other party chieftains to arrive was echoed early today in statements by some prohibitionists that they would fight any move to change the name of the party.

Why Change Name? "If we can't adopt the Bull Moose name to the progressive prohibition party" was their line of reasoning.

## TOPEKA WANTS IT CRUMP CRUMPS

Capital City After Big Federal Loan Bank.

Commercial Club Seeks One of Twelve U. S. Institutions.

SHOW IMPORTANCE OF STATE

Committee Ready to Prove That Kansas Is Worthy.

S. E. Cobb Named to Head the Boosting Committee.

Twenty-four hours after President Wilson signed the land loan bank bill, the board of directors of the Topeka Commercial club began a fight for landing one of the twelve government banks in Topeka.

John S. Dean this afternoon telephoned to Charles E. Lobdell, president of the First National bank at Great Bend and a candidate for appointment on the farm loan board, inviting him to come to Topeka and listen to the committee in this connection of the Missouri valley. It is considered probable that Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska will comprise one of twelve regions for the installation of a farm loan bank.

George Godfrey Moore of the Germania Life Insurance company, stated that the importance of Kansas as a center for loaning money on farm mortgages was realized by life insurance companies. These companies have loaned more than \$60,000,000 on farms in Kansas. This just includes the companies operating under the New York law.

He Can Prove It. Mr. Cobb has little fear that he will fail to prove the logical location for the bank but he, as well as other members of the board of directors, fears the injection of politics into the selection of a bank.

It is understood the Omaha is beginning to pull strings for the bank. Omaha is represented by Gilbert M. Hitchcock, one of the strongest Democratic senators in the Missouri valley. Since Bryan has lost his influence with the administration crowd, Hitchcock is the man to whom Wilson adherents look to overcome the anti-administration feeling engendered through Wilson's treatment of the country.

However, Omaha is not looked upon as the logical center of a region including Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado. It is felt that Will Lincoln, Omaha's rival, look with favor upon Omaha's getting the bank.

Dean Outlines Plan. J. S. Dean outlined the directors the method which will be pursued in operating the bank. Topeka should not only get the bank but the government registers from Mr. Dean declared. In this office will be maintained the records on all mortgages and data of all descriptions necessary to the operation of the bank.

Before leaving the Commercial club this noon, Mr. Cobb expressed his determination to begin immediately the selection of facts and figures to present to the board immediately after its formation, if the data should be desired. The board will be composed of two Republicans, two Democrats and the secretary of the treasury.

## MAADOO TO QUIT?

Rumor That He'll Be Governor Federal Reserve.

Chas. H. Hamlin Urged to Run Race in Massachusetts.

Washington, July 18.—Official circles were interested in a report here that Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo is to resign from the cabinet to accept an appointment as governor of the federal reserve board, succeeding Charles H. Hamlin, Governor of Massachusetts.

Lincoln was out of the city. It was impossible, therefore, to obtain official verification of the report. The term of the federal reserve board is five years, and its successor will be given a term of ten years.

Members of the federal reserve board receive the same salary as cabinet officers—\$12,000 a year. The office is one of the most sought and most highly prized in the gift of the government.

WEATHER forecast: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Continued warm except in the west in the north part of the state, where cooler weather is expected Wednesday.

TWO CENTS

## BANK ACCOUNTS OF TOPEKA MEN

Rents Buildings, Buys Groceries and Hires Help.

Pays for All With Certified Checks on Muskogee Bank.

EMPLOYS A STENOGRAPHER

His Checks Are Written on a Typewriter.

One Topeka Man Vouches for Him for \$480.

When W. R. Crump, check artist, disguised as a promoter of a wholesale grocery firm in North Topeka, and a water service concern in the East side, put a crimp in the profit and loss accounts of Topeka merchants which boosted the loss side of the sheet considerably, he jumped to St. Joseph, Mo., with several hundred dollars in Topeka money.

The police and L. L. Kiene, sheriff, were about two weeks behind him and when he utilized the extra jump in his favor gloom spread over Topeka. The merchants and stenographer he hired here last week. He went to pay her wages and a dozen or more clerks, office managers, not to mention office boys, messenger boys, truck drivers and other employees of the building he rented in North Topeka to find it vacant with no prospects of the jobs they had been promised.

Crump, according to L. L. Kiene, sheriff, alighted from a passenger train here last week. He went to North Topeka where he negotiated with a real estate agent named Nichols for the building owned by Oscar Kraus. Crump then moved into the building. He gave a check for the advance rent payment.

Hires a Stenographer. Then he hired a stenographer, Miss Edith Christie, 722 Western avenue, and put her work writing price lists, contracts and other things that go with a well managed wholesale grocery store. The stenographer was to effect that the "Consolidated Wholesale Grocery company of Oklahoma" was to furnish all groceries to whomsoever.

Then he dropped into the store of Tom Handy, Fourth and Quincy streets, and confided his intentions of opening a water service plant to the Union Pacific here thereby bringing thirty men and their families to the city. Handy endorsed a check, Kiene says, for \$150 and Kiene cashed a bank here for a \$480 check. However, the bank merely took the \$480 check for collection. Crump claimed he had \$500 on deposit in Muskogee bank. Also his checks were stamped with a certified stamp which Kiene claimed was his.

Catches Another Victim. Robert Cathers, Fourth and Lake streets, cashed one of Crump's checks for \$480. Crump then purchased \$9 worth of groceries. The groceries were hauled to the vacant house on 761 Lawrence street, which Crump rented for \$100 a month. Crump was connected with his business activities here.

Crump also hired a boy, Kenneth Hamilton, 102 Western avenue, to drive him around in a buggy. Crump and the boy started for Lawrence—Crump's home town—on Sunday. Crump's parents, Sunday, but ended their trip in St. Joe. Crump's one decent act in his career, officials say, was to show up at the store on Sunday and Sunday and send him home the next day, Monday.

Crump, the sheriff says, tried to pass worthless checks for groceries here, but failed with some of them. Kiene says he does not know how many Topekans Crump victimized here.

After Crump rented the store building in North Topeka he hired an office manager, messenger boys and other help. He carried a proper attitude and carried all the ear marks of a man making a fling for fortune in a legitimate and forceful way.

What these employees arranged in North Topeka to go to work today Crump was somewhere else.

## BACK TEN MILES

Retreat in Volynia Nets Slavs Thousands Prisoners.

Petrograd, July 18.—The Germans have retreated nearly ten miles in Volynia under the swift advance of General Kaledin's left wing.

In their hasty retreat, several thousand more prisoners, a number of heavy guns and large supplies of war material have fallen into the hands of the Russians. The retreat was made necessary when several Russian regiments broke through the German front and threatened to surround a part of General von Linsingen's army.